

LOOKS LIKE A STRIKE.

Carmen Are Anxious to
Get an Answer to
Demands.

May Tie Up all the Lines
Next Sunday
Morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—A com-
mittee from the car men's union, headed
by President Cornwell, waited upon Man-
ager Chapman of the United Railways
this morning to ascertain, if possible,
what action the company had determined
upon in answer to the demands of the
men, which were presented to the com-
pany yesterday.

The conference lasted but a few min-
utes, Manager Chapman informing the
committee that he was momentarily ex-
pecting telegraphic advices from the New
York office of the Baltimore Syndicate
relative to the answer he should make to
the union concerning the reinstatement of
the suspended employees that he would
again meet the committee at 3 p. m. to-
day and inform the union representatives
what the Eastern officials of the corpora-
tion were willing to do in regard to the
questions at issue.

The street car men may take action to-
night, which will result in a general tie
up of the roads next Sunday morning.
It is believed that demands will be formu-
lated and submitted to General Manager
Chapman, giving him until Saturday to
reply. If the demands are not met, the
probability is that the roads will be tied
up Sunday morning.

E. A. RICHMOND IS APPOINTED.

ALVARADO, March 17.—E. A. Rich-
mond, one of the pioneers of Washing-
ton township, has been appointed post-
master here.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC POOL IS EXTENDED.

NEW YORK, March 17.—It was officially announced today that a majority of
the members of the Southern Pacific pool had given their consent to extension of
time for the existence of the pool to April 10 and the pool has therefore been
extended to that time. This will carry the pool over the annual meeting, which
is to be held on April 8. The head of the pool, J. R. Kenna, is at present in
litigation with the Southern Pacific over the management of the Southern Pa-
cific lines.

JURYMEN IN DIMMICK CASE EXAMINE LOCK.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—The trial of Walter N. Dimmick, charged with
embezzling the funds of the United States Mint in this city, proceeded this morn-
ing, Charles Waltz, a lock expert, being the only witness examined during the
first session of the court.

His testimony had to do for the major part with the time lock, which he re-
moved during his examination.
It was passed to Jurymen in order that they might examine it in detail.
The witness told of certain irregularities in the mechanism of the lock on the
day it was overhauled after Dimmick's defalcations had been found.

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INSURES ABSOLUTE SAFETY. Visitors always welcome.

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THANKS OF THE KING.

Writes an Open Letter to
People Asking
Confidence.

Says the Crown Princess
Had Long Secretly
Fallen.

DRESDEN, March 17.—The
King of Saxony has written an
open letter to his people, thank-
ing them for the proof of their
sympathy with him in the "re-
cent sad misfortune" which had
befallen himself and family.

The King expresses the hope
that the "perturbation and excite-
ment which seized on the people
in consequence of the distressing
events of last winter," will now
give place to quietude and the old
feeling of confidence.

In conclusion, he begs the peo-
ple not to believe those who aver
that "behind all the miserable
business, lies a tissue of falsehood
and deception, but to believe the
word of your King that this in-
finitely painful affair arose solely
from the ungovernable passion of
a woman who had long before
secretly fallen."

APPROVES THE PLANS.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Secre-
tary Root today approved the plans
recommended by the Army Engineer
Board for the extension of the jetty at
the mouth of the Columbia river.

MYSTERY DEEPENS IN THE BURDICK CASE.



ARTHUR PENNELL,
Co-Respondent in the Burdick Divorce
Case.

BUFFALO, March 17.—The authori-
ties have learned that Mrs. Edwin L.
Burdick had assigned a portion of the
insurance held by her husband.

In the first place, it is said, half of
the estimated \$25,000 was made pay-
able to the children.

Less than one-half originally written
in Mrs. Burdick's favor, probably \$10,-
000, was in small policies and it is said
a portion of this was assigned by Mrs.
Burdick to her husband. The assigned
policies therefore become part of his
estate.

All she will receive from his estate
is her dower in one third of his realty
and the small amount of insurance
made payable to her that she did not
assign. The authorities will not say
whether the assignment was made be-
fore or after the divorce proceedings
were begun.

The inquest in the Burdick murder
case will continue this afternoon, be-
ginning at 3 o'clock. The District At-
torney declined to say who would be
the first witness, but as from the out-
set he has been questioning the mem-
bers of the Burdick household and as
Mrs. Burdick is the only one familiar
with or connected with the house who
has not been on the stand, it is pre-
sumed that she will be the first wit-
ness.

In his examination of Margaret Mur-
ray and Mrs. Hull last Saturday, the
District Attorney laid particular stress
upon his questions relative to persons
in the Burdick cellar on the morning
of the murder.

Miss Murray testified that she knew
of no one in the cellar except Miss
Koening, another of the servants and
Alfred Brookman, an elderly man who
had at times cared for the furnaces in
the Burdick home. Mrs. Hull made no
mention of having been in the cellar.
Brookman had been called in by Miss
Koening to attend to the furnace.
Brookman is said to have made a state-
ment to the police that he heard the
voices of a man and a woman in the
cellar and that he recognized the voice
of the woman, but not that of the man.
The couple talked in low tones, Brook-
man is quoted as saying, and when he
took up the shovel the man said:
"What's that?" in a quick tone, as
though he was startled. The woman
replied, "Oh! that is only the man who
takes care of the furnace."

They talked for a moment more and
then went upstairs. Brookman said he
had been told that Mr. Burdick was
sick and he supposed the man was a
doctor.

After a conference with Assistant

THE OLD RELIABLE



ROYAL
BAKING
POWDER
Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Officials are Trying Hard
to Locate the
Assassin.

Testimony Being Taken
By the Coroner's
Jury.

CHILDREN WILL GET A PORTION
OF FORTUNE LEFT BY
FATHER.

Superintendent of Police Cusack, Dis-
trict Attorney Coatsworth announced
that Mrs. Seth T. Paine would be the
first witness today. The other wit-
nesses will be Dr. Paine, Adolph Carl-
son, the boarder at Mrs. Paine's home;
Charles S. Parke, the business partner
of Mr. Burdick and Alfred Brookman.

The first witness was Mrs. Gertrude
Paine. She said that Miss Cunning-
ham, who was one of the persons at her



CHIEF BULL OF BUFFALO.

home on the night of the murder, had
left the city. Mrs. Paine does not know
where she is now. Miss Cunningham
was one of the persons who established
an alibi for Mrs. Paine.

Mrs. Paine said she had seen Burdick
a number of times after Mrs. Burdick
left home. Two or three times it was by
appointment made by telephone. She
saw him at the dancing club down town
and on the street car.



E. L. BURDICK, WHO WAS MURDERED.

MISS ASTOR IS ENGAGED.

SHE WILL MARRY JONEL BRA-
TIANO, A FOUMAN-
IAN.

★ VIENNA, March 17.—A dis-
★ patch from Bucharest, Roumania, ★
★ published in Die Weltung, says: ★
★ Miss Astor, daughter of Will- ★
★ iam Waldorf Astor, is engaged to ★
★ marry Jonel Bratiano, the Rou- ★
★ manian Foreign Minister. Miss ★
★ Astor is now visiting the Rou- ★
★ manian Crown Princess' family. ★
★ Bratiano has a fascinating per- ★
★ sonality. He is not a wealthy ★
★ man and is a son of the late Jean ★
★ Bratiano, the distinguished ★
★ statesman, whose monument will ★
★ shortly be unveiled at Bucharest. ★
★ LONDON, March 17.—Mr. As- ★
★ tor is not in town and nobody ★
★ connected with him can confirm ★
★ the reported engagement of Miss ★
★ Astor. Die Weltung of Vienna is ★
★ not considered to be a newspaper ★
★ of very high authority. ★

LOVE NEVER FADED.

Married a Felon at the
Door of Peni-
tentiary.

Frank Parkes Does the
Right Thing at Wrong
Time.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—

Standing on the threshold of the
penitentiary where he is to spend
the coming nine years for abduc-
tion, Frank Parkes became the
husband of Matilda Fablank in
Judge Lawlor's chambers today.

This is the first recorded in-
stance of a convicted felon be-
coming a benedict upon the eve
of entering upon the execution of
his sentence, and there are grave
doubts as to the legality of the
marriage.

Parkes lived with Miss Fablank
and openly acknowledged her as
his wife for six years past.

When Parkes abducted little
Tessie Norton and took her to
Bakersfield, the affection of his
reputed wife did not cool.

She visited him in prison and
was present in court last week
when he pleaded guilty to abduc-
tion and was sentenced to San
Quentin for a term of nine years
by Judge Dunne.

HE WILL TRY FOR THE CUP.

Shamrock III is Christened
By Lady Shaftesburg
at Glasgow.

Bunches of Shamrocks in
Honor of St. Patrick's
Day.

GLASGOW, March 17.—The Shamrock
III was launched today, under the most
successful conditions.

Lady Shaftesbury, wife of the commo-
dore of the Royal Yacht Club,
christened the yacht in the presence of a
number of distinguished guests.

Shamrocks and hopefulness were much
in evidence.

Sir Thomas Lipton divided 2500 bunches
of the former in honor of St. Patrick and
the new boat, and voiced the general sen-
timent of hopefulness, by saying:

"With just a little slice of luck the bat-
tered old mug will find a resting place on
this side."

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PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE.

Of the furniture, carpets, etc., of 1373
Ninth street, Oakland, Suite Wednesday,
March 18 at 11 a. m., comprising in part,
body Brussels carpets, parlor furniture,
lace curtains, oak dining chairs and table,
crockery, one mantle clock, three oak and
walnut bedroom suits, bath mattresses,
bedding, Richmond range, etc. All at
and will be sold.

J. A. MUNROE, Auctioneer,
1501 Park street, Alameda, Phone,
Grand 175.

Of Course, If You Prefer

you can continue offering inducements to burglars
to call on you by keeping your valuables in your
residence "secreted" in those well-established
hiding places—the bureau drawer, the dark corner
in the closet, and other such places so well known
and so easily found by the experienced burglar and
sneak thief.

We call your attention to the fact that All
Valuables placed in our Safe Deposit Vaults are
absolutely secure from loss by fire or burglary.
The rent of an Individual Steel Safe, to which you
can have access as often as you desire, is Four
Dollars a year.

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CHALLENGER LAUNCHED WITH SUCCESS.

Says His Third and Last Attempt at Lifting the America's Cup Will Be the Most Serious.

GLASGOW, March 17.—The Shamrock III was launched at 1:14 today. An examination of Shamrock III as the yacht was revealed in the launching race, confirms the previous dispatches of the Associated Press on the subject and showed that the boat had struck out boldly on entirely level terms. Instead of trying to tinker or improve on either of the previous Lipton challenges.

Large crowds gathered at Denay's yards at Dumbarton. In spite of the drenching rain, which however, ceased before the arrival of the special visitors' train. Sir Thomas Lipton escorted Lady Shaftebury to the christening dais. Among others on the platform were the Earl and Countess of Marneville, Lord Overton, Lord Provost of Glasgow, the Hon. Charles Russell, Reginald Ward, William Fitz and Captains Wringe and Bevis.

At 1:15 p. m. Lady Shaftebury broke the bottle, saying:

"I christen you Shamrock III; may God bless you and may you bring back the cup."

Amid loud cheers the Shamrock III slid easily into the water.

After more cheering the visitors proceeded to luncheon.

Like her predecessors, however, the Shamrock III is built close up to the 60-foot water line limit. Her length over all is 140 feet. The most striking feature of the challenger is her extremely short fin. It is just twenty feet long. Her draught is 19 feet and the fin is almost level along the bottom. The lead in the hull is drawn well down to the fin, suggesting the deep body typical of the British cutter, rather than the extreme flat-bottomed type adapted from the American counterboard yachts and used in all the recent challenges. The American wheel steering for the first time replaces the British tiller and the lesson learned with the Shamrock II through her pounding in heavy seas has led to a longer and finer drawn bow, giving the challenger the appearance of being a boat capable of negotiating comfortably any moderate sea. With lesser draft and not so flat-bottomed as the previous Shamrocks, the challenger will not have so much stability, so the fin has evidently gone in for a light weather boat or he has cut down her sail area. There are during novel features in the design, the effect of which cannot be accurately judged, except by a crucial trial. They suggest the possibility of difficulty in getting the novel boat to trim, steer and carry her canvasses. If, however, she accomplishes these objects, she will prove to be far the most formidable challenger ever sent out.

The underbody of the Shamrock III is painted with a white anti-fouling composition. Her top sides are white and she has broad bands of green along the water line and rail. Her hull, frames and plates are of nickel steel, especially made. The deck is of aluminum plates, covered with wood fibre, which gives a safe foothold.

The workmanship of the yacht is superb in every detail, no dent, rivet or joint is visible under the polish of her paint.

After the launching, Sir Thomas Lipton said to a correspondent of the Associated Press:

"My third and perhaps my last attempt at lifting the America's cup will be the most serious and, I think, the most hopeful of my efforts. The reliance may be put on it, but it will not be because I have not got the best boat British brains and workmanship can produce.

"If the cup stays in America, it will stay there because of the extraordinary genius of the American yacht builder. If he can produce a still further improvement in his art, I shall begin to think he is a bit more than human. There is no question but that the best boat wins in international races. I believe that the Shamrock III will come near filling that bill. To my mind she is a marvel in which Fife and Watson have outdone themselves. With good trial races and no accidents her arrival in New York should mark the coming of the most

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25c; 50c at all DRUGGISTS
CURES IN A DAY.

HIS FIGURES ARE STAGGERING.

ENGINEER GRUNSKY'S ESTIMATE ON COST OF MUNICIPAL WATER PLANT.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—City Engineer Grunsky's revised report on the available sources and probable cost of a municipal water supply for San Francisco is a rather staggering one as to the matter of expense.

It is not so much the figures which believe the city can easily be made independent of Spring Valley. The City engineer says the Spring Valley Water Works affords the cheapest and most available source of supply.

As to cost the City Engineer figures that, on the basis of a supply of from fifty to sixty million gallons daily, the expense of acquiring the Spring Valley system, including the completed Calaveras valley project, would be \$37,000,000; North Yuba river project, \$48,207,900; Lake Tahoe, \$47,415,200; Tuolumne river project, \$25,513,000.

Mr. Grunsky contends that the construction of a water works system entirely independent of the matter of first cost, the city would not be productive of the best results, the most available sites for water storage in large quantities near at hand being already in use. These, it is pointed out, should be made part of the municipal system. He remarks that the receiving and service reservoirs of the Spring Valley Company and its distributing system of pipes might, of course, be duplicated, but such duplication would throw out of service nearly 400 miles of street mains and would render about 50,000 service and 5,000 hydrant connections useless. Mr. Grunsky's conclusions on the comparative merits of the available systems are as follows:

"The Spring Valley Water Works system, to the extent of its capacity, ranks first in reliability of service. The Tuolumne river project ranks highest in the quality and quantity of water. In the matter of first cost the city the advantage should be in favor of the Spring Valley system, a safe at a fair price being assumed. It is to be added that in the matter of operation it remains uncertain which system, the Tuolumne or the Spring Valley, would have the advantage, the probability being in favor of the newer system. Under a combination of the two projects only a part of the Spring Valley Water Works probably would be required."

PRESENT FOR POP CRANDALL.

The members of the Orpheus Club last evening united in the presentation to their conductor, Edwin Dunbar Crandall, of a handsome ivory baton as a token of the esteem in which he is held by the entire membership of that popular musical organization.

The presentation was made by Dr. Harry P. Carlton who made a short speech of congratulation to the members and their director on the success which has attended the club's efforts at recent concerts. The baton is mounted in gold and bears the inscription: "To Pop Crandall from the members of the Orpheus Club, March 16, 1903."

CONDUCTS SERVICES AT TENTH AVENUE CHURCH.

At the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church in East Oakland, Dr. Daniel Shephard is conducting daily services, which are increasing in interest. The people who have attended have the highest praise for the preaching and the methods of the visiting minister. The services are held at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. every day.

NORRIS & ROWE WILL SHOW IN OAKLAND.

The celebrated Norris & Rowe pony and dog show will be in Oakland for three days, beginning March 30th. The large tent will be pitched at Twelfth and Jackson streets.

PILES.

Pyramid Pile Cure, the Only Known, Certain Remedy for Piles and Hemorrhoids.

Trial Package Mailed Absolutely Free to Any Sufferer Sending Name and Address.

Pyramid Pile Cure is guaranteed to cure any case of piles whether they be internal, bleeding or prolapsed; any case of hemorrhoids or rectal ulcers, and to do it quickly and permanently.



They are made in the form of suppositories and contain nothing which can possibly harm the most delicate; are astringent, antiseptic and healing and are applied by yourself in the privacy of your own home, without an embarrassing, delicate and expensive examination by your physician and without the torture of a surgical operation, which at best gives only temporary relief.

The trial treatment which we send you by mail free will give instant relief and if it is promptly followed up by the use of Pyramid Pile Cure, which any druggist will sell you for 50 cents a box, a cure is guaranteed or your money refunded, after using one-half a full box you are not satisfied that it will cure you. If you prefer to have the remedy come direct from us, we will mail it in perfect plain package or receipt of price. Pyramid Pile Cure, 116 Main St., Marshall, Mich.

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"I am nearly seventy-five years old, and have put off being carried to the graveyard and gone to joining again. Paine's Celery Compound is my life and strength. It has raised me from a low condition of life to the best of health. When I first commenced with the Compound I weighed one hundred and twenty pounds. I am well and feel well and my neighbors all congratulate me upon my good healthy looks."

SANTA FE FILES DEED.

NOW IN POSSESSION OF THE CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA.

By a deed filed for record today, the Oakland and East Side Railway Company has become the purchaser of the 350 miles of railroad, known as the California and Nevada Railroad, extending from the Fortieth street pier at Emeryville to the town of Bolle, near the boundary line between California and the State of Nevada. This is considered as the final step towards the completion of the plans of the Santa Fe Railway for terminal with the existing line of San Francisco.

The transfer was made from M. A. de Laveaga, the Oakland and East Side Railway Company, which is known to be but a part of the Santa Fe system, the consideration mentioned, being \$1,000,000. The Oakland and East Side Railway Company, at the present time is constructing a pier, extending out into the bay at a point close to the terminus of its new purchase.

M. A. de Laveaga, owner of the California and Nevada Railroad, purchased the same a few months ago under a foreclosure sale for the sum of \$50,000 from the Central Trust Company of New York. The Santa Fe, by this purchase, has not only gained a valuable accession to its properties in securing a water front terminal in Alameda county, but has also come into possession of one of the lowest passes over the Rockies, which the California and Nevada Railroad has long held as one of its most valuable assets.

HYTER MUST MAKE THE FIRST MOVE.

It is now about settled that A. T. Hyter of 560 East Twelfth street, who was seriously injured while making repairs on the Franklin school building January 13th, will not receive compensation at the hands of the Board of Education for his injuries. Numerous communications bearing on the subject have passed between the board, City Attorney Johnson, Hyter, his physician and lawyer. A damage suit was threatened by Hyter, through his lawyer, but the Board of Education came to the front and gave employment to Hyter's son during the time the father was laid up.

City Attorney Johnson, at a meeting of the board last night, submitted a communication relative to Hyter's claims in which he says:

"I cannot advise that Hyter could enforce the claim. No doubt it is a deserving case. He has an equitable claim, but I am not sure my way clear to advise that his claim is a legal one should the board conclude not to recognize it."

City Attorney Johnson's communication was filed and the board decided to await developments from the Hyter faction.

ROUTINE WORK OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

At a meeting of the Board of Education last night Director Knox reported that there were 329 boys and girls taking the gymnasium work in the public schools. Of this number 117 boys are taking the prescribed work, 40 are taking special work in classes and 22 are taking special work individually. There are 156 girls reported, taking the athletic work in regular classes.

Kate R. Bauvais, a teacher who is absent on leave, was granted an extension of leave to the end of the mid-winter term.

Ado Stiles was granted a leave of absence to the end of the school year.

Principal M. Fisher of the Polytechnic High School was given permission to hold a session of the Teachers' Institute, commencing March 30th and lasting one week.

SENATE N SECRET SESSION.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The Senate met at 11 o'clock today and went into executive session after the Journal was read and approved.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

To order, altered and fancy shirt waists, Study of applied art 546 Fourteenth street under Hotel Touraine.

WATER FOR THE WORKMEN.

Railroad Company Tries to Grab a Street in Parkersburg.

Mayor Is Suspended By Act of the City Council.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., March 17.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, claiming the right under an ordinance adopted in 1852, brought a force of men into town before daylight today and began to lay a track for five blocks over one of the principal streets of the city.

The fire department was called out and poured such a stream of water on the men that they had to abandon the work.

A clash occurred between Mayor Vandervort, who is attorney for the Baltimore and Ohio, and the City Council.

The mayor had ordered the police and fire departments not to interfere with the building of the tracks, but the Council countermanded his orders.

The City Council held a special meeting at 10 o'clock, at which impeachment proceedings were begun against the mayor.

He was suspended from office and impeachment proceedings were begun.

Calls have been issued for men to protect the street from any further interference and hundreds are responding.

WANTS TO ADMINISTER.

WESTFIELD, N. J., March 17.—Mrs. Sarah Ann Newcombe, residing in Boston, has filed an application for letters of administration for the estate of the late Nelson L. Newcombe of this place. Mr. Newcombe died here two weeks ago. The filing of the application was a shock to Westfield society, as Mr. Newcombe and a young woman who was supposed to be his wife, were leaders in it. The local Mrs. Newcombe was prostrated by the shock of learning her rights were to be contested. Her friends here believed that if the claim of the woman in Boston is substantiated she has been cruelly deceived. Mr. Newcombe came here about three years ago. He was president and general manager of the Manhattan Steamship Company at 11 Broadway, New York City.

The property here appears to stand in Mrs. Newcombe's name and much of the personality is said to have been purchased in her name. Mr. Newcombe left no will as far as known.

SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP

Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shreveport, La. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy. And when the coughing spell would come on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it would or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had left me again." For sale by Osgood Bros., Seventh and Broadway.

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305-6-7-8 Callaghan Building, Market and McAllister
We are Placing Men in Better Positions with Better Salaries Every Day
You May be the Man We Want Next.
—ALL BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL—
We find THE MAN FOR THE PLACE and THE PLACE FOR THE MAN.

DAY WILL RECOVER.
WASHINGTON, March 17.—Dr. Hardin, after this morning's visit to Justice Day, issued the following bulletin:
Justice Day slept well last night and is doing well this morning. He has passed the critical stage of the disease and convalescence has apparently begun.
TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

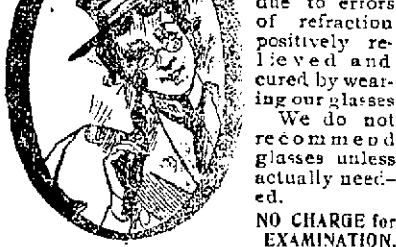
Eczema, No Cure, No Pay.
Your druggist will refund your money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Ringworm, Tetter, Old Sores and sores, pimples and blackheads on the face, and all skin diseases. 50 cents.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.
Prices of current soon to be reduced. For estimates on wiring ring up James 2461.
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MRS. McLEOD MARTIN



THE DISPUTED MARTIN BABY

The New York police are after Mrs. McLeod Martin, wife of a prominent physician. She will be prosecuted for fraud. Last May she left her husband six months later notified him a baby had been born to her. The doctor denied the child was his. An investigation took place in the courts, with the baby as star exhibit. During the trial public sympathy was strongly with Mrs. Martin. At its close a nurse confessed the child was spurious. Mrs. Martin is believed to have worked the deception in order to obtain dower rights on her husband's Scotch estates.

REORGANIZE THE POLICE FORCE.

NEW LAW WILL SOON BE PUT INTO EFFECT IN OAKLAND.

The Oakland police force will be working under the new eight hour law, recently passed by the Legislature, within the next two or three weeks.

Secretary Jackson of the Board of Public Works has received copies of the act, but before the matter can be passed to the City Council it is necessary for Chief of Police Hodgkins to make his report to the Police and Fire Commissioners.

In his report the chief must state the number of men affected by the law and what additional men are necessary to properly patrol the city. The probabilities are that the whole force will be almost reorganized and four new sergeants added. It is not thought likely that there will be any new captain's positions created, but the system of reporting on and off duty may be revised.

The system now in use requires every man on duty to sign up in the captain's office at regular intervals throughout the night. This will probably be so changed so that the men may report to their respective sergeants, who in turn will report to their superiors.

City Attorney Johnson stated at a recent meeting of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners that it would be necessary to receive certified copies of the new act before any steps could be taken by the local authorities to conform with the act.

The new law reads as follows: "Section 1. In all cities of the first class, cities and counties, cities of the second class, and cities of the third class, a regular police department is maintained, patrolmen, lieutenants, sergeants and regular officers shall be required to serve on duty not longer than eight hours in every twenty-four hours; provided, that in case of riot or other emergency, every article of the police department shall perform such duty and for such time as the directing authority of the department shall require."

"Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately."

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A SCHOOL GIRL'S ESSAY ON SPRING.

The charming little essay printed below was written by the little daughter of D. C. Brown, of Brown & Mackinnon, and is such a graceful bit of composition, revealing such an idyllic fancy, that is well worth reading, as the product of a child of 12:

THE SPRING.
From under a shivering rock that was over-shaded by beautiful, old oak trees, there bubbled up from the soft earth a tiny spring.

It was dancing down the hillside, over the shining pebbles, raising the drooping grass along its banks, until it came to a pleasant meadow.

As it went rippling over the stones and wound itself in and out of the beautiful flowers that crowded down to its velvet edge, the horses and cattle of the neighbor-

ing farms came to drink of its cool contents.

After it had passed this pleasant spot it came to a dreary forest. The murmuring of the wind in the tree-tops seemed to make it more gloomy. But the little stream, mindful of its duty, went faithfully on.

When it had traveled this gloomy wood it came to a wheat field on a hillside. It danced gaily down, and the wheat looked like an elfin forest with golden trees. The birds sang gaily above it, now stopping to sip the whetted ends of the wheat, now fluttering down to the merry brook to take a drink or enjoy a cool bath.

It came to a beautiful river. It was so happy upon seeing this (for it knew now that it would soon reach the ocean) that it went tumbling over a steep precipice, and fell, splashing into the foaming river.

It went babbling onward over rapids, through gloomy forests and bright meadows, until it reached the foot of the mountain. Then it went more slowly, passing many towns and seeing many queer, funny and old things.

It passed children wading in the water or digging in the soft sand on the beach, and saw boats sailing in the harbors. It could hear the whistles and bells of the trains that were waiting to be loaded or unloaded on the wharf.

Sometimes it would splash against the row-boats that would glide silently over its waves, covering the occupants with silvery spray.

It came next to a great fall over which it rolled and fell into the bay below with a noise that resembled thunder.

The sea was beautiful, and the little stream, as it wandered among the ships, wondered if it could stay there always. But when it came time for the tide to go out, the great waves rolling around it carried it out into the great ocean, the place it had longed for when only a tiny spring.

A. B. D.—12 years old.

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Files a Petition With City Council Asking That Certain Streets Be Closed.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company and A. H. Payson, trustee, presented a petition to the City Council last night asking that certain portions of Center, Hollock, Hubbard, Horton and Holden streets be closed, specifying that they are the owners of certain lots, constituting all of the land fronting on both sides of said streets, north of the northern line of Yerba Buena avenue and south of a line drawn parallel with that avenue and distant 100 feet north therefrom; and further stating that the Oakland and East Side Railroad Company has been formed for the purpose of operating a broad gauge steam railroad from the town of San Pablo to connect with the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe to the city of Oakland; that said Oakland and East Side Railroad Company desires to establish a terminal station on the land fronting on the northern line of Yerba Buena avenue, between the west line of San Pablo avenue and the east line of the right of way of the Northern Railway Company, with a uniform depth of 100 feet at each end, which land lies in the city of Oakland and town of Emeryville; that such a terminal is indispensable in said locality and that there is no other land in that vicinity suitable for such purpose, permitting the developing of the plans of the company, not only to its own advantage but to the advantage and best interests of the public; that the closing of streets specified is for the protection of persons living in that vicinity against noise and injury.

The petition was signed by the official representatives of both companies and was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Another petition was presented from the Atchison and East Side Railroad Company, signed by M. J. Keller, president, and J. A. Burbanck, secretary, asking for a franchise for a period of fifty years to construct and operate a track

in order to make "desired and necessary increase and extension in its terminal facilities," the tracks being specified as follows:

Track No. 1.—On Yerba Buena avenue, commencing on the northern line of Oakland, 130 feet west of Hollis street, running west 180 feet; thence along Yerba Buena avenue to the western boundary line of the city.

Track No. 2.—Beginning at a point on track No. 1, about 120 feet east of Holden street; thence west along Yerba Buena avenue to a point 30 feet west of block 23 of plot 8 of the Vincente and Downing-Percia ranch.

Track No. 3.—Eight or more single tracks, connecting with track No. 2, running in a general northeasterly direction crossing portions of Yerba Buena avenue, Horton street, extending to the northern boundary line of the city.

Track No. 4.—A single track connecting with track No. 3 near center line of Horton street, running northeast 100 feet; thence by two tracks to the northern boundary line of Oakland.

Track No. 5.—A single track connecting with track No. 4, near Hollock street; thence northeast on Yerba Buena avenue; thence meandering to Hubbard street, continuing to the northern line of the city.

Track No. 6.—Single track connecting with track No. 5 near its intersection with the northern boundary line of the city; thence southeast in a meandering manner to the northern boundary line of the city.

Track No. 7.—Two or more single tracks commencing at points on track No. 5 in Yerba Buena avenue, near the east line of Hollock street; thence east, crossing the corner of Hubbard and Horton streets, together with necessary switches and connections.

Track No. 8.—Two or more single tracks commencing at points on track No. 5 running in a general easterly direction, crossing the corner of Hubbard and Horton streets, together with necessary switches and connections.

This petition was also referred to the Committee of the Whole.

NO DANGER IN PREPARING FOR NEW ORLEANS.

STATEMENT SENT OUT GIVING THE TRUE FACTS ABOUT HIGH WATER.

NEW ORLEANS, March 17.—M. J. Sanders, president of the Progressive Union, sends the following statement to the Associated Press:

"As president of the New Orleans Progressive Union, I desire to contradict absolutely and unequivocally the sensational stories which are at present being circulated by some correspondents of newspapers in regard to the principal in other parts of the United States in reference, particularly, to the high water station in the Mississippi river and its possible effect on the city of New Orleans. As a matter of fact, there is not and has not been for a great many years past the slightest risk of any danger to the city of New Orleans from a high river. All along the commercial front of the city the streets and levees have been graded up to the level desired by the engineers as the extreme grade, making a solid embankment of earth, and in some cases several hundred feet back from the bank of the river. The city, in addition, is surrounded by high levees, so that should there be any break in the levee in the country, above the city or below, not one drop of water can possibly penetrate into the city. It is very manifest that could happen by a still further considerable rise in the stage of the river would be the possible exception of some small portion of the city, which would be inundated by the waters of the river and the drainage canals, benefiting rather than otherwise. In no sense is there any anxiety regarding the personal safety or the safety of their property on the part of the citizens of New Orleans, who are perfectly well aware that there is absolutely no danger to the city from the commercial interests of the city from the alarmists' reports which are being circulated and which are being used to create a panic and to bear the earmarks of gross negligence."

STREET CAR ON FIRE IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 17.—As a car belonging to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company's Myrtle avenue line swung around the loop at the Manhattan end of the bridge, an inspector called upon the motorman to stop, as he observed a thin curl of smoke coming up from under the body of the car. The motorman paid no attention and let the car run along at full speed. The track was then comparatively clear and the swift motion served to fan the flames. The passengers soon found themselves uncomfortably warm and were most suffocated as well by the smoke as the fumes. They leaped to their feet and protested. The motorman had sprung the catch, which made it impossible to open the door, and seemed to pay no attention to the cries of the passengers or to the bells of the conductor.

News of the approach of the car had been conveyed to Brooklyn and a fire engine was awaiting it. The passengers hurried to the conveyance as soon as it came to a stop and overwhelmed the motorman with protests. Overheating of the resistance box, it was found, had burned the insulation from the wires, and this made possible the ignition of the wooden body of the car.

MINISTER BOWEN CALLS AT THE EMBASSIES AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Minister Bowen, accompanied by Senator Augusto Puello, the Venezuelan Charge d'Affaires, called at the Italian, British and German Embassies to inquire regarding the negotiations of the Hague protocol. Copies of this protocol, which first was approved by the State Department, were left with the Italian and British Ambassadors and the German Minister and by them mailed to their respective Foreign Offices. Since then Mr. Bowen has received an reply from the allied powers. Herbert C. Deering, first secretary of the British Embassy, who during the absence of the Ambassador in New York is in charge, informed Mr. Bowen that the British answer had been sent from London by special bag and would arrive here next Thursday. It is believed that the main features of the agreement as drawn by Mr. Bowen have been approved. Baron Stoppa, the German Minister, informed Mr. Bowen he had received no instructions from his government respecting the protocol. This statement caused Mr. Bowen to refer to rumors that the delay in the allies' answer was due to a desire to avoid reference to The Hague by proposing a compromise to President Castro. The German Minister replied that he had no intimation of such an intention. Mr. Bowen informed the German Minister that he had called President Castro against accepting any compromise that would keep the matter from The Hague and that he is preparing to re-enforce the cablegram by sending Senator Puello to Caracas if necessary to block any compromise proposition. The Italian Ambassador said he knew nothing of Italy's intention except that she would follow Great Britain's lead. Later it was learned that the three powers had corresponded as to the course they should adopt jointly with reference to Mr. Bowen's protocol.

WILL TALK ABOUT THE NILES CONE.

The members of the City Council-elect are to be entertained this evening by the Men's League of the First Congregational Church. The dinner is to be served in the church parlors, and during the evening Professor A. C. Lawson of the State University will deliver an address on "The Niles Water Cone." It is through this source of supply that the recently elected administration expects to furnish the city of Oakland with a sufficient supply of water.

Startling, But True.
"If every one knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes Dr. H. L. Turner, Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks ago I was made a new man of me. I'm infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. Get at Osgood Bros' drug store, Sevin and Broadway."

ENGINEERS TO MEET.

CHICAGO, March 17.—The fourth annual convention of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association will meet here today for a two days' session. The organization has a membership of 450 and is composed of Chief Engineers and officers of the operating departments of the different railway systems in the United States and of engineering experts connected with various universities. George W. Kitzinger, chief engineering of the Big Four, is president.



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Judging from the letters she is receiving from so many young girls Mrs. Pinkham is inclined to the belief that our girls are pushed altogether too near the limit of their endurance nowadays in our public schools and seminaries. Nothing is allowed to interfere with studies, the girl must be pushed to the front and graduated with honors, often physical collapse follows, and it takes years to recover the lost vitality—often it is never recovered.

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BOYER'S LICENSE ORDINANCE PASSED TO PRINT.

Liquor Bonds Cause Discussion in the Council—City Fathers Hold Long Meeting.

The Boyer ordinance, which amends the liquor license ordinance so that saloonkeepers are not required to renew their bonds every year, was passed to print by the City Council last evening by the following vote:

Ayes—Cuvellier, Ruch, Bishop, Cadman, Boyer, Courtney, Wilxon, Schaffer, 6.

Abstent—Fitzgerald—1.

Dornin and Wallace both said they thought the measure was in the interests of the saloon men and not for the public welfare. Police Hodgkins reported that there were 231 licensed saloons during February.

LIQUOR LICENSE.

The following liquor license bonds were approved:

Otto Street and F. Oho, 1059 Franklin street; McVay & McVay, 1240 Broadway; Daly & Storer, 350 Franklin street; M. Cavanaugh, 1711 Seventh street; J. W. Duce, 412 Twelfth street; Perry & Pedro, 1501 Fifth street; John Wentzel, 618-1501 Seventh street; B. T. Conolly, 1224 Broadway; Charles Long, 605 Park avenue.

CARCAS ORDINANCE.

Alfred Aythens made a bid of \$200 for the franchise for collecting, removing and disposing of dead animals, and his bid was accepted.

The ordinance granting the franchise was passed to print.

FROM CITY ENGINEER.

The following communication from the City Engineer was referred to the Street Committee:

"In reply to your question as to whether narrowing of the sidewalks on Adeline street will interfere with the box culvert thereon I will state that the culvert is 17 feet from the eastern line of Adeline street and that it is inadvisable to narrow the sidewalk on the eastern side for that reason. Very respectfully,

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PREVALENCE OF HYDROPHOBIA. WARNING FOR THE TEACHERS.

MEDICAL CARELESSNESS IS TO BLAME FOR TROUBLE.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Speaking of the prevalence of hydrophobia in New York, Dr. George G. B. Rumbold, director of the Pasteur Institute here says that within the past six months there have been twelve deaths from hydrophobia in this city, although it is, he says, among the rarest of diseases and he expresses the opinion that medical carelessness on the part of the authorities is to blame. The doctor asserts that in one village near New York, last summer, six animals died of rabies and every animal that had come in contact with these had been left to run at large unmuzzled, to the risk of the whole State. In another village a dog exhibiting all the symptoms of rabies was killed and fed uncooked to barnyard creatures destined for the New York markets.

"In a single month," this winter," added Dr. Rumbold, "the board of Health has treated as many as ten people for rabies, and the Pasteur Institute twelve or fifteen."

HOW DISEASE IN CHILDREN CAN READILY BE DETECTED.

NEW YORK, March 17.—In the course of a talk on "Tuberculosis in Children," given under the auspices of the Committee on the Prevention of Tuberculosis of the Charity Organization Society, Dr. Abraham Jacobi explained how mothers ought to prevent tubercular disease in their babies and warned the school teachers of the city about many things he said they should know.

"Tuberculosis," he said, "kills more people, old and young, than diphtheria, croup, whooping cough, scarlet fever and typhoid fever all combined."

In the young, he explained, he had known but one authenticated case of so-called inherited tuberculosis, and even in that case it was not the disease itself that was handed down, but certain conditions of body.

TEAMSTERS' UNION ISSUES STATEMENT.

Notice of Rules Regarding Time of Labor and Rates of Pay Sent to Employers.

The following rules and rates which have just been approved by the Teamsters' Union of Oakland are interesting:

RULES.

1. The driver may be discharged if he does not do his work to the satisfaction of the employer, but his place must be filled by a member of the Brotherhood.

2. All claims for overtime must be submitted to and approved by the steward of each barn, and the matter of overtime shall be so regulated that no injustice shall be done the teamster or the employer.

3. All complaints must be first made to the steward of each barn, he to present the same to Grievance Committee in writing on Wednesday evenings.

4. All drivers must have their breakfast before taking out team and ready to move at 6 and 7 o'clock a. m., and not before. A day's work to end at 6 and 7 o'clock p. m., and overtime to be charged after that time.

5. Employers shall employ no teamster other than members of the Brotherhood, except that an employer having more than one team may put on a non-union man at regular union wages for not exceeding one (1) week. Such non-union man shall make application for admittance to the Brotherhood of Teamsters within the first three (3) days of his working, and if found by the Brotherhood to be a good and worthy man the Brotherhood agree to admit him to their union.

6. No member of the Brotherhood shall work for any person for any lower rate of wages than herein set forth.

7. The Brotherhood of Teamsters is not in favor of sympathetic strikes and will do everything it can to avoid them.

8. Any matter that is brought up before the meeting of either the Employers or the Brotherhood of Teamsters, which may affect the mutual relations of five, and consultation must be had with a like committee of the other party before action is taken thereon, and in no case shall final action be had until one (1) week has elapsed; no action to be taken in any individual case until investigated by the Business Agents of both sides.

9. Drivers shall not go to the barn on Sundays or holidays, but if employed to do so shall receive a regular day's pay, and shall do all general stable work about the stable and yard. One hour allowed for lunch. Firms having three teams or less shall pay the teamster fifty cents per hour for stable work on Sundays and holidays. Employers owning teams may employ men not members of the Brotherhood of Teamsters for stable work on Sundays and holidays if they see fit.

10. Employers wishing to engage teamsters will apply at the headquarters of the Brotherhood, and not employ men hanging around barns.

11. Union men shall not work with non-union men except upon men can be found. Fine of \$2.50 shall be imposed on all members who violate this rule. No man who is under ban is entitled to work at any time. All non-union men shall only have the same wages where there are no union men to be had. Men classed as "Lumpers" to be members of the Brotherhood of Teamsters, Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

12. Freight to be put on sidewalks only.

13. Any member found working on Labor Day shall be fined \$5.00.

14. Baggage and Trunks to be put on first floor.

15. Members employed on steady work shall not work on wagons on work designated as self help; or, in other words, gratis—such work infringing on the rights of Lumpers.

16. Any member found violating the above rules, a fine of \$5.00 will be imposed.

TO IMPROVE SIDEWALKS.

A petition signed by twelve property owners was presented, requesting that a cement sidewalk be laid in front of the Manhattan Engine House, corner Milton and Market streets. Referred to Street Committee.

TO MOVE CHURCH.

The resolution granting permission to R. G. Graham to move a two-story building known as St. Andrew's Church, from Ninth and Cypress streets to Twelfth and Mesquite streets, was adopted.

REPORT FILED.

The report for the Board of Health for the month of February was read and filed.

The resolution authorizing the Board of Public Works to expend a sum not to exceed \$200 for printing 200 copies of the new rules and regulations governing the police department was adopted.

PARK ACCEPTED.

An ordinance accepting the bequest of Bushrod W. James, deeding a park site to the city of Oakland, was finally passed. The ordinance accepting the bequest on San Pablo avenue, from Fifty-second to Sixty-seventh streets, was referred to Street Committee.

OTTS SUGGESTION.

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Express teamsters—Two-horse wagons, trans-bay teams, \$3 per day; two-horse trans-bay team doing outside route work, \$2.50 per day; trans-bay package wagons, \$2.50 per day; route wagons, two horses, \$2.50 per day; two-horse truck doing route work, \$2.75 per day; two-horse truck doing Broadway route work, \$3 per day; town job wagon on furniture, \$2.75 per day; wagons doing plan work, \$2.75 per day; large single wagons, less than two tons, \$2 per day; parcel delivery wagons, less than one ton, \$2 per day; roustabout and furniture men, \$3 per day; wagons of 2½ to 3 tons, \$2.75 per day; four-horse wagons, \$3 per day; parcel delivery wagons, 4 m. to 8 p. m., \$12 per week, \$12. City teamsters get 6 o'clock a. m. boat; quit at 1 p. m. No teams or freight taken care of. Where teams are taken care of by drivers, 35 cents per hour. Teamsters taking care of stock report at 6 o'clock a. m.; quit at 6 p. m.

Where stableman is employed turn out at 6 o'clock a. m.; quit at 6 o'clock p. m. Turn team out at 7 o'clock a. m.; quit at 7 o'clock p. m. Team to be in the barn at 7 o'clock p. m.

EAST OAKLAND, ALAMEDA AND BERKELEY.

Teamsters leaving on 6 o'clock boat 35 cents per hour.

Baggage—Check man, \$3 per day; cut down wagons, \$3 per day. Regular baggage wagons, \$2.50 per day. Twelve (12) hours shall constitute a day's work. Time to be taken, when driver is due at the barn and on his return to the barn, and not at the office as heretofore. All teamsters to be paid weekly. Sundays and holidays to be paid at straight time with every other Sunday off without pay.

Truck teamsters—Four-horse truckmen, \$3.50 per day; two-horse truckmen, \$2.75 per day; one-horse truckmen, \$2.50 per day.

Overtime—Parcel delivery wagons, 25 cents per hour; trucks, 50 cents per hour; route wagons, 35 cents per hour; trans-bay, roustabout, furniture men, 35 cents per hour.

Teamsters—Teams out at 7 a. m., quit 6 p. m.; two-horse grain truck teamster, \$2.75 per day; four-horse grain truck teamster, \$3.50 per day; 1½ ton wagon, \$2.25 per day; 1½ ton two horses, \$2.50 per day; 2 to 3 ton wagons, two horses, \$2.75 per day.

Wood, Coal, Hay and Grain Teamsters of Coal Yards—One-horse teamster with 1½ tons wagon, \$2.50 per day; two-horse teamster with 2 to 3 ton wagon, \$3.50 per day; four-horse teamster with 4 to 5 tons wagon, \$2.75 per day; coal carts, \$2.50 per day. Ten hours a day, from 7 to 6 p. m.; 50 cents per hour overtime.

LUMPERS.

Furniture by the load, local work. District No. 1—Fiftieth street on the North, Twenty-third avenue on the East. Twelve foot wagons, straight load, one man, 75 cents; straight load, two men, 50 cents; piano load, one man, \$1; piano load two men, 75 cents. Wagons over 12 feet long—Per load, one man, \$1; two men, 75 cents; piano load, one man, \$1.10; piano load, two men, \$1.

District No. 2—From Fiftieth street to Prince street—12 foot wagons, one man, \$1; 12 foot wagons, two men, 75 cents; piano load, one man, \$1.50; piano load, two men, \$1.

District No. 3—Berkeley, Upper Fruitvale, or above Park street, Alameda. Per load, one man, \$1.50; per load, two men \$1; piano load, one man, \$1.75; piano load, two men, \$1.25.

District No. 4—San Francisco work. Loads to and from San Francisco.—One man, \$2; two men, \$1.50; piano load, one man, \$2.50; piano load, two men, \$1.75.

District No. 5—Piano work, Berkeley, Alameda or Fruitvale.—One man, \$1; two men, 75 cents.

Oakland limits.—Two men, 75 cents; two men, 50 cents; grand piano, basement floor, 75 cents; grand piano, Alameda or Berkeley, \$1; store pianos, mutual agreement. Cusing or uncusing, or extra flights, 25 cents extra man.

District No. 6—Trans-bay wagon, Berkeley, Fruitvale or Alameda.—Straight load, \$1; piano load, \$1.

Oakland limits.—Straight load, on or off, 75 cents; piano load, on or off, 75 cents.

Town work—Straight load, put on or off, \$1; piano load, put on or off, \$1.

Oakland to Berkeley, Alameda or Fruitvale.—Straight load, \$1.50; piano load, \$1.50. All men shall receive not less than the scale paid two men.

GRAND OPENING



I wish to announce to the ladies of Alameda County that I have just opened my select line of cloths for Spring and Summer. I make a specialty of Up-to-Date Tailoring, carrying a complete line of the latest cloths in all up-to-date colorings. I employ none but the very best tailors and guarantee each and every garment to be perfect in workmanship and fit. A trial will convince that my work is second to none. Reference—any of the 1400 suits I made during the year 1902.

The advantage of going to a first-class ladies' tailor is:

First—You have the selection of cloth that you cannot find in other stores, as the patterns are confined to the house.

Second—You get better linings than in the average suit.

Third—You are guaranteed a perfect fit.

Fourth—Your suit is made by first-class man tailors.

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Thanking you for past favors, I remain, yours respectfully,

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SAN FRANCISCO.

COUNCIL INVITES ROOSEVELT.

WANTS THE PRESIDENT TO VISIT OAKLAND WHILE IN THE WEST.

* The Council last night extended an invitation to President Roosevelt to visit Oakland while on his visit to the Pacific Coast.

* A resolution to that effect was presented to the Council by Dornin and passed under suspension of rules. The resolution follows:

* "Whereas, It is reported that President Roosevelt intends visiting this Coast in a few weeks;

* and

* "Whereas, The people of the city of Oakland desire to pay honor to so distinguished a personage;

* Resolved, That Senator George C. Perkins be communicated with and requested to extend to President Roosevelt our invitation to visit our city and urge on him that he include Oakland in his itinerary during his trip through this State.

* "Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby authorized and directed to telegraph to Senator Perkins the substance of this resolution."

SECURING A JURY.

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—The work of securing jurors for the special grand jury, which Judge Hazell of the Circuit Court has called to meet here next Monday to investigate charges of bribery in the Legislature, is being pushed by Sheriff G. A. Smith. He has selected seven of the twelve men, as follows: L. V. Dix, Jefferson City; Judge Simon N. Schell, St. Louis; Frank Oike, of Teal; Frank Dierck, of Taos; William H. Leach, of Marion; L. M. George, of Russellville, and Judge W. H. Plummer, of Bass. The remainder will be selected from Jefferson City.

GO TO DEDICATION.

FORT RILEY, Kas., March 17.—The department commander has designated two troops of cavalry, fifty-seven men each, and two batteries of one hundred and ten men each, to go to St. Louis for participation in the dedication ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The commanding officers and staffs of the cavalry and artillery garrisons will command the contingents designated. The uniform to be worn will be blue throughout. No tents will be carried as the men will have quarters in the buildings of the exposition. The commandant will leave here April 26, returning May 4.

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We wish to call your attention to our elegant New Imported Hats in latest designs and colors. Handsome All-over Lace and Chiffon Hats.

We carry a large assortment of shapes—Fine Milans and Chips now so fashionable. Also large, freshly selected stock of Flowers, Fruits, Lace, Beads, etc. No Old Goods. Everything new and up-to-date.

Pretty, jaunty, ready-to-wear, and Children's Hats and Suits. The new 1903 Dudes. The public is cordially invited to call and inspect our new stock. Courteous attention. Special sales Wednesdays and Saturdays of \$7, \$5 and \$3 hats.

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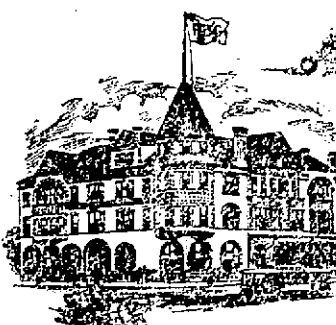
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I cannot praise Wine of Cardui too much. It did more for me than five doctors and hundreds of dollars' worth of medicines. I was troubled for forty months with female weakness in the worst form. I had falling of the womb, inflammation, and at my menstrual period suffered terribly. At times my back ached so I would cry with pain. I was so weak that I could not lift anything. I could not get on my feet a few hours. I was so exhausted that I could not account of its profusion and frequency. I was white as chalk and every drop of blood seemed to have left my body. I felt as if there was a heavy weight on my stomach all the time, my appetite was lost and I could not get on my feet. I was so weak that I could not lift anything. I was so exhausted that I could not account of its profusion and frequency. I was white as chalk and every drop of blood seemed to have left my body. 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THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

There is a renewed discussion of the Monroe Doctrine due to several causes, mainly, however, to recent events in Venezuela and to Brazil's announced intention of upholding the Doctrine in the Acre dispute. A great deal of the discussion is either academic or speculative, and, therefore, comparatively irrelevant in a practical sense.

It is too late to inquire what the Monroe Doctrine is. The original message of President Monroe remains as the embodiment of the said and letter of that pronouncement. It may be briefly summarized as denying the right of any European power to extend its authority or system of government to any territory (not previously acquired) on this hemisphere, and asserting that the seizure or colonization of any such territory would be construed as an act unfriendly to the United States and prejudicial to the safety of this government. Each time the issue has been practically presented the situation has been somewhat different, and the reassertion of the principle has each time varied in terms and adapted to fit the concrete facts of the issue raised. The principle itself is unchanged.

A German scholar says it is of no effect because it has no warrant in law and is without vitality and force. Its warrant is the declaration of the policy of self preservation. It is not a matter of abstract law or dusty precedent, but the announcement of a policy and a purpose to uphold it. The vitality of the Doctrine depends upon the degree to which the people of the United States are devoted to it. Its strength is dependent upon the power of the United States to enforce it. It all comes down to a question of power and will.

The temper of the American people indicates that they were nevermore settled in their determination to maintain the Monroe Doctrine. Their power to maintain it was never so great, and the assistance they would receive from the other American republics would be greater now than they were ever before able to extend. It therefore follows that the Monroe Doctrine has more vitality and is stronger than at any previous time in our history. It is in plain language a notice to European nations to keep off this end of the earth. It is a notice they are going to heed. There was a futile attempt to challenge it by indirection in the last Venezuela imbroglio, but the experiment will not be repeated in a hurry.

A TILTED VISITOR COMING.

Lady Granville Gordon is coming to America, and it will be interesting to see how society on this side of the water treats her when she arrives. In view of the extraordinary admissions she made in court during the recent litigation instigated by her divorced husband to recover his child, it was a startling story of the rottenness and depravity that characterizes certain elements of the British nobility. No revelations half so shocking and disgusting have ever been made about American society women.

The escapades of May Yoke, the American actress who married into an English titled family, were shameful, and naturally caused a general feeling of chagrin in the United States because of her nationality. But May Yoke had no social standing in this country. She was a woman of indifferent morals and no reputation to lose when Lord Francis Hope married her. He had every reason to know what he was getting, and the surprise is not at the result of his matrimonial experience, but that he should ever have linked his name with that of a woman whose past was neither shady nor clean. The expected happened.

It is quite different with Lady Gordon. She belongs to Britain's aristocracy, and is connected with a score of noble houses. Yet May Yoke was guilty of nothing quite so bad as this woman confessed to in court, with hardly the semblance of a blush.

Although the London newspapers published in detail the shocking disclosures at the trial, no reputable American newspaper can do more than hint at them. It would be best to let the whole affair lapse into silence and obscurity, but for the fact that the woman in the case is coming to America, bringing a moral misadventure with her. Will her title condone her flagrant impurities in the eyes of society people in the East? If Lady Gordon is not ostracized, then the fashionable rich of New York will confess themselves to be all that Henry Watterson has called them. We shall see after she arrives whether she will be taken up or not.

The Kansas City Star says:

"There is nothing surprising in the news that the battle ship Oregon safely weathered the hurricane between Yokohama and Woo Sung. Nothing that is in the heavens above, the earth beneath, or the waters under the earth can prevail against the good ship Oregon."

True enough; but please remember that the Oregon was built in California. Stick a pin in there.

LITERATURE NOT WANTED.

This is from the Springfield Republican:

"How slender a reed literature is to lean upon is shown by the case of Philip Merrill Mighels, whose books have been more or less praised and presumably more or less read. It is now announced, however, that Mr. Mighels, after publishing four novels and receiving \$100 for them, has decided to drop the literary profession. However, as he is now going in for invention, it cannot be said that he has left uncertainty behind, though, to be sure, the invention of a wireless telephone or a superior coal oil stove means more money than the most successful book is likely to produce."

It is to be regretted if Mr. Mighels has not made a financial success by his writing; but his experience does not prove, nevertheless, that fiction writing is not profitable. Mr. Mighels merely made the mistake of thinking a literary man should turn out literature, whereas the really successful idea, in the money-making sense, is to turn out something that will sell. That Mr. Mighels has literary talent no one who knows will deny; and he is besides imbued with the idea (somewhat outworn it is true) that the maker of a book should endeavor to convey a permanent message to either improve, instruct or amuse mankind. He has not been able to bring himself to regard books as the toys of a season—to be played with a brief while and then forever cast aside broken, defaced, disfigured and no longer worthy of preservation.

His friends knew he could write things that would bring money, for he has a facile pen, an easy command of limpid English, and a delicate and variable fancy. But he strove to produce what the popular taste does not want, and hence finds himself fallen and fainting by the highway while the purveyors of ragtime literature ride by in carriages, clothed in fine linen and a lofty contempt for the writers who do not succeed in selling their wares. However, Mr. Mighels cannot feel that fate has singled him out for left-hand partiality, for gauged by emolument, genuine merit must be content with the neck and heels in many walks of life besides literature. A horse jockey gets twice the salary of a cabinet minister or a Justice of the Supreme Court, and the reigning champion of the prize ring makes more money than the President of the United States receives.

By and by literature will get unloved and have its walking delegates and an eight hour day. When that time comes Mr. Mighels will understand the true spirit of the age, and can cast aside his pen to seek a job as a longshoreman.

MR. BRYAN IS FIXED.

Mr. Bryan takes occasion to deny that he contemplates bolting. He intimates, however, that the party may bolt Mr. Bryan. The party may get lost, but Mr. Bryan, never. The wigwag may get lost, but the warrior is always where he stands. Mr. Bryan stands on the Kansas City platform. He cannot be budged from that base of his political aspirations erected by his own hands and dedicated to his own ambition.

There stands Mr. Bryan, an immovable monument to a dead issue. Like Martin Luther at the Diet of Worms, so help him God, he can do no other. He will not abandon the Democratic party, but if the Democratic party abandons Mr. Bryan, why, then—he will continue to stand on the Kansas City platform. As Mahomet will not go with the mountain, the mountain must get along as best it can without Mahomet. It is a case of incompatibility. The only thing left for Mr. Bryan to do is to select some Thomas to proclaim throughout the world that the great God Pan is dead, and let it go at that. If he persists in clinging to his dead issue as a devoted captain clings to a sinking ship, why, there's naught for others to do but say amen and cry God ha' mercy.

The last survivor of the battle of San Jacinto has just married for the third time. He is aged 98 and his bride tips the beam at nineteen. The groom is rich, of course, but the bride says she really and truly loves him. The best of the joke is, the old man believes her. Here is an old head and a young heart that appear to be equally soft.

The bill proposed in the Hawaiian Legislature to exempt natives from taxation seems a bit superfluous in view of the fact that very few of them have anything to tax. The missionaries got nearly all their property as the price of saving their souls.

As soon as the responsibility of defeating or ratifying the Panama Canal treaty was put squarely to the Democrats, there was a dash for cover. They wanted to reject the treaty, but were desirous of evading responsibility for it.

Judge Parker says he voted for Mr. Bryan at the last Presidential election, but that is not the question. Mr. Bryan is asking. He wants to know if Judge Parker endorses the Kansas City platform. Right here the mumbling begins.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

Of late years there has been a remarkable change in the manner of celebrating St. Patrick's Day, a change equally creditable to the Irish people and to the Catholic clergy.

It was formerly accompanied by much disorder, drinking and fighting. Now St. Patrick's Day is celebrated in as dignified and orderly a manner as the Fourth of July. It has been lifted to a high plane by the influence of the Catholic clergy and by the teaching and example of Irishmen who regarded it as a shame for their countrymen to indulge in drinking and fighting on the anniversary of a day that is peculiarly dear to the Irish heart.

There is no longer cause for men of Irish blood to be other than proud of the way the day is celebrated, for the dignity and sobriety that mark the day's festivities in the present are in fitting harmony with the solemn religious ceremonies and the expression of race aspiration and national hope that characterize its observance. The change is notable as showing that the patriotic sentiment of the Irish people has not been weakened nor their loyalty to their religious convictions sapped by ethical culture and the prosperity that has come to them in the land of their adoption.

St. Patrick's Day is a unique festival. Its celebration in the Irish mind is associated as much with the patriotic as with the religious idea, for the saint it commemorates was not only the evangel of Ireland, but is the central figure of a mass of legends and stories, partly religious and partly racial and patriotic, that typify the sorrow of the Irish at the loss of their independence and the hope that they will ultimately regain it.

The fact that it was at one time a crime alike to celebrate the mass or to wear the shamrock assists to give St. Patrick's Day its dual character, and to cause its celebration to reflect national as well as religious sentiment. When we speak of St. Patrick we think of Ireland instinctively. The mention of St. Jerome, St. Augustine, St. Francis or any of the saints and martyrs of the early church conjures up no such patriotic idea as the one that springs up at the suggestion of St. Patrick. The early Christian literature of Ireland, its legendary history and the craving of the national spirit, as well as the conversion of the Irish people from paganism, are personified in St. Patrick. Other Catholic countries have their patron saints, but none has such a saint as Patrick, whose lineage—whether it be Scot, Breton, Spanish or Latin—no one knows further than that it was not Irish. But myth, legend and popular conception have given him the Irish character, and he typifies the love the Irish race hold for their native land and the loyalty they bear for the church that St. Patrick planted first in Ireland.

In this country people who are not of Irish blood nor of the Catholic faith, can only sympathize with the sentiments which the celebration of the anniversary of Ireland's patron saint embodies. They can the more readily grasp its significance and respect what it implies that the celebration has been shorn of features that once degraded it.

Home trading is good but enterprise is better. The two make a town invincible.

The Mississippi flood promises to make the Indiana postoffice a dead issue.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"Did any other man ever kiss you?" he fervently asked. "Well," replied the girl who had spent three seasons at the seaside, "no one that wasn't engaged to me ever did."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Jack dear, when you are gone I shall pine away." "Don't pine away; spruce up."—Life.

"Tell the truth now. You are a professional beggar, are you not?" said the keen-faced individual who had been approached.

"I used to think I was," replied the weary wayfarer, "but since threepence ha-penny is all I have to show for a day's work I am forced to the conclusion that I am merely an amateur."—Tit-Bits.

"Are you working for the contractor of the road?" asked the inquisitive party of the laborer who was driving railway spikes.

"Faith, an' O'm not," was the reply. "O'm workin' for th' interden av it."—Chicago News.

Managing editor—What is your specialty? Applicant (thoughtfully)—I have just graduated from college. Well, you might accept the position as editor-in-chief, until some of your knowledge wears off."—Life.

HE GOT THE JOB.

The Senator—Mr. President, I want you to do something for a man who needs help badly.

The President—Um! What are his qualifications?

The Senator—He's the father of seventeen children and more coming, and—

The President—Mr. Cortelyou! O, Mr. Cortelyou! (Secretary Cortelyou enters) Kindly reserve a nice position in your new department for Mr. Full-house. The Senator will tell you about him. He's a live issue and a commercial factor. Next!—Chicago Tribune.

Chips From Other Blocks.

Teggart announces that Indiana will ask for the nomination of David B. Hill. But, still, the mountain will decline to go to Mohammed.—Atlanta Journal.

The Mayor of an Ohio town was the first man to be executed under his own order against being drunk on the streets. Like a true Spartan, however, he took his medicine and did not try to commute his own punishment.—Chicago Post.

General Meriam, head of the Census Bureau, has resigned. It is useless to say the gentleman is not from Ohio.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

It is hoped that Mr. Rockefeller did not attach a wrong significance to the fact that the late Congress found it necessary to use an auctioneer in its proceedings.—San Antonio Express.

Says the Navy Department to Crownshield paraphrasing the immortal words of Dewey: "You may be fired when ready."—Detroit Free Press.

President Roosevelt says he is half Irish; the other half is descended from the same race as William of Orange. This may account for some contradictory things.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Mr. Roosevelt might name one of the new battle ships Indiana instead of Mississippi.—Brooklyn Union.

THE COMIC MUSE.

"Go ask papa," the maiden said. The young man knew her papa was dead; He also knew the life he had led, And he understood her when she said: "Go ask papa."

He neither will amount to much Nor rise above his source Who fears to make an urgent touch And bet it in a horse.

—New York Sun.

"He swiftly grips his coffee down And bolts a piece of pie; He gets the indignation And says he wonders why."

A MATTER OF SELECTION.

Said a vulgar little girl, who was sneering at a soother, In accents that were very far from mild,

"You ain't g't no father, you ain't got no mother— You ain't nothin' but a horrid 'dopted child!"

"I'm quite a good as you," came the answer from the other,

"I was carefully selected from a lot; But only look at you—your father and your mother

Had to kee, you if they wanted to or not."

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You can buy a genuine Columbus Bug Company's vehicle at the San Francisco house, for about the same you will pay for an imitation, if you will take the trouble to investigate. The Columbus will not admit of an agent's profit as cheaper stuff and many dealers say the average buyer does not know the difference. Look into the difference—it will pay you. We can show more vehicles 15 years old still running in Alameda County than all the other factories combined. The freight is the same on cheap vehicles that it is on good ones. We have to have a distributing house in San Francisco for the whole coast and the islands. Big stock to select from and carloads constantly arriving. Market, between Ninth and Tenth streets, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.

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THE LATEST NEWS

WANTED ON MURDER CHARGE.

Suisun Murderer Said to Be in Jail at New Orleans.

SHISUN, Cal., March 17.—Word has just been received here by District Attorney Gregory of the arrest in New Orleans of a man supposed to be S. Camilla, who is wanted for the murder of Jack Cochrane in this county on March 7, 1902. Camilla and Cochrane were both killed and were together in a boat on Suisun bay when the crime was committed. After murdering his companion, Camilla took the boat to the shore and upon delivering it to the other, told a story of how Cochrane had been accidentally shot. From the information received here the description of the man now under arrest in New Orleans answers in a general way to that of the man wanted.

THIRD RACE.
Bavaria, 8 to 1.
Glen Aldred, 7 to 5.
Amberlin, 8 to 1.

PRESIDENT TELLS OF HIS TRIP ABROAD.

NEW YORK, March 17.—David R. P. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, who returned from Europe on the steamer Empress Wilhelm today, in an interview, said:
"I have made a happy trip of four weeks and feel that I have been successful in my mission. I visited England and was granted a personal audience by King Edward, who expressed great interest in the fair and voluntarily offered all of the jewels and ornaments of Queen Victoria's jubilee for exhibition. Lord Lansdowne also assured me that England would be well represented and would put up a splendid building. I went to France and saw President Loubet and was very cordially received. He was the guest at the dinner of 500 places, at which were present representatives of many French industries, expecting to have exhibits at the fair. I was very cordially entertained by the ministers of the various departments and, altogether, am very much pleased with the success of my mission there."
"I then went to Madrid. Spain is taking hold of the project enthusiastically and I have been assured by the ministers of agriculture and departments that they would give every assistance. I was granted a personal audience with Emperor William, who assured me that Germany would be well represented. He also said that he would send some of his own plate and other interesting objects. The German officials gave me cordial assurances of Germany's intention to place a good exhibition. I went to Belgium last and was received by King Leopold,

FOSTER WILL BE SECRETARY

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—It is said to be a settled fact that Dr. N. K. Foster of Oakland is to be the next Secretary of the State Board of Health, to succeed Dr. W. P. Matthews. The position carries a salary of \$2500 and the entire responsibility of the board, inasmuch as the secretary is expected to transact all of the work of the body.

Ever since the personnel of the new board has been announced, it is said that there has been a scramble for the position of secretary and that Dr. Hart of this city was one of the foremost aspirants for the place. Hereafter the secretaryship has always been given to one of the members from Sacramento, but in this case it will be difficult.
Dr. Foster is a lifelong friend of Governor Phelan and a man in whom he has confidence.
The law says that the secretary shall reside in Sacramento, but some may be said of the Governor, and yet former Governors have resided away from the city and it may be that Dr. Foster will retain his residence in East Oakland and make frequent trips to this office in the Capitol building, when his presence is required.
Again he may reside here during his term of office. At all events it is claimed that the new board will hold a meeting in this city about the first of the month and will select Dr. Foster as their secretary. The old board will hold a meeting at the same time before adjourning.

PLEADS FOR HIS PAY.

Editor Sues Chas. H. Spear to Recover \$100.

A remarkable suit has been filed in Eureka against Charles H. Spear, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee for the recovery of \$100 gold coin of the United States by one Thos. E. McGeorge, editor of a newspaper, known as The Flag, for advocating the election of Governor George C. Pardee during the last gubernatorial campaign.
Plaintiff complains of the above named defendant, and for cause of action alleges the following:
That on or about the 26th day of September, A. D. 1902, the plaintiff herein was acting as editor and manager of The Flag, a newspaper printed and published at the city of Eureka, county of Humboldt, State of California.
That said defendant was the chairman of and acting as chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, and had charge of the financial end of the campaign, and interested in the result thereof.
That said defendant was the political organ of the Union Labor party in said county and was intended and designed to express the views of the laboring classes in various unions and associations of organized labor.
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MANY MOURN AT HIS BIER.

FRIENDS OF JAMES STRATTON PAY THEIR LAST RESPECTS.

The funeral of the late James T. Stratton, once United States Surveyor-General, was held this afternoon from the family residence, 461 East Twelfth street, East Oakland. The hour for the services was set for 1:30 o'clock, but long before that time many friends of the deceased called to pay their last sad tribute to the dead. There were a large number of beautiful floral offerings about the casket, testifying to the respect in which the deceased was held.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Amos T. Needham, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pacific Grove, but formerly in charge of the Eighth Avenue Methodist Church of this city. He was assisted in the services by the Rev. O. J. Hille, present pastor of the Eighth Avenue Church. The ceremonies were simple, yet solemn.

After the services at the residence, the remains were removed for cremation to Mountain View Cemetery.
The honorary pall-bearers were T. L. Barker, N. W. Spaulding, J. L. Bromley, E. C. Sessions, James Pinsky, T. M. Machin, D. W. Gaskill.

The regular pall-bearers were Harry F. Gordon, Cary Howard, J. K. Smallman, Edwin Shanklin.
Among some of the floral pieces were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton, flowers and ferns; Mrs. J. W. Shanklin, wreath of white flowers; Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stratton, white carnations; George T. Penroy, violets; Dr. Maxson, white carnations; Harry Dorchert, cycle and wreath of white flowers; Mrs. Ploggia, spray.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Eighth Avenue M. E. Church sent a beautiful floral offering out of regard to the wife of the deceased.

James T. Stratton died Sunday morning at his home, after an extended illness, of heart trouble. He was a native of New York, aged 72 years, and was of distinguished ancestry, his people having participated in the Revolutionary War and later were identified with the political history of New York.

Rev. Needham, in his funeral sermon, paid a high tribute to the departed. He spoke of his clarity and his integrity; his Christian character and influence for good in the community, and told how he had always been first to assist the church and in deeds of philanthropy.

A quartet composed of Mrs. O. E. Hotie, Mrs. George J. Lowell, W. H. Graham and Frank W. Crower sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Sometime We'll Understand." Mrs. William Marcell sang "Ope Sweetly Solenn Thought."

WOMEN ARE SENT TO JAIL FOR SWEARING.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Two women have been sentenced in the court of special sessions in Brooklyn to serve six months in the penitentiary for using improper language on the streets. In pronouncing sentence Judge Keady said:

"I am determined to prevent such occurrences as this in the future. If this thing is to be tolerated, how can it be possible for respectable women to walk in the streets without having their ears and sensibilities shocked. If you come here again, I shall punish you to the full extent of the law."

WILL GIVE FINE TO THE VETERANS.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The Interior Department has decided that the bar to allow a pension to the soldiers who served in the Union army during the Civil War and who had previously served in the Confederate army is removed by act of the joint resolution of July 1, 1902, relating to the pensionable status of such soldiers, and it is held to be unnecessary for such claimants to file a new application for pension subsequent to July 1, 1902.

HEARS ARGUMENTS ON OIL LAND CASES.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The United States Supreme Court today heard arguments in a number of cases involving title to several tracts of oil lands in the vicinity of Bakersfield, Cal. The lands were located in lieu of other lands held in forest reservations, under the act of 1897, but the Secretary of the Interior refused to accept the title, holding the lands to be mineral.

ANOTHER PIONEER CALLED BY DEATH.

Silas R. Osgood, who came to this State in the early days, died yesterday at his residence, 1803 Telegraph avenue.
Deceased was a native of Maine, aged 75 years and leaves a wife, Adeline K. Osgood, and a brother, Ernest J. Osgood. Deceased was a member of the Lyon, Post, G. A. R. and the Society of California Pioneers.
The funeral arrangements have not been announced.

SOLON EVANS DIES IN EAST OAKLAND.

Solon Evans, a native of Massachusetts, aged 82 years, died yesterday at his residence, 482 East Seventeenth street. Deceased was the husband of Rebecca Evans, nee G. A. A. R. and the Society of California Pioneers.
The funeral will be held Thursday from the family residence.

ALABAMA WARBLERS DRAW A LARGE CROWD.

McKensless, the celebrated minstrel, and the Alabama Warblers opened a week's show in the tent at the corner of Ninth and Clay streets last evening. The tent was crowded and the people were turned away for lack of standing room. The show is an exceedingly clever one and it promises to be a great drawing card throughout the week.



The Owl will Move

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For twelve years The Owl Drug Co. have been doing the largest drug business in Oakland in a rather out of the way and obscure location.

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We are going to have something very interesting for every visitor on that day.

Look for the date of opening later.

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HAWAIIANS INVITE ROOSEVELT. DIED TO ESCAPE DISGRACE.

WANT THE PRESIDENT TO MAKE A VISIT TO THE ISLANDS.

HONOLULU, March 17.—The people of the Hawaiian Islands are very much interested in the Western trip of President Roosevelt, and for some time past leading citizens have been discussing the matter with a view to asking the President to extend his trip beyond San Francisco and come here.

An urgent invitation has been forwarded to the President inviting him to visit the Hawaiian Islands, and it is planned that in the event of his acceptance of the invitation to arrange a system of wireless telegraphy so that the president will be in constant communication with the mainland and with the Hawaiian Islands.

In this way the President can be informed daily of the trend of national affairs and can direct the machinery of the Government from the vessel on which he travels. In the event of matters requiring the President's immediate return to Washington, it would be an easy matter for the details of the return trip to be arranged by wireless telegraphy and no time would be lost by delays, either here or in San Francisco, in the arranging of the route of travel and other details incidental to a trip of a President of the United States from either Honolulu or San Francisco on his return across the continent.

The Hawaiian Islands are a great field in which a reliable specialist in this line might locate. Dr. Cook has been very successful in his work across the bay, and with the added advantages of Oakland's climate, is sure to become a popular practitioner in this city.

HAVE LOOKED IN OAKLAND.

DR. AND MRS. COOK OPEN SANITARIUM IN THIS CITY.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Cook, who, for many years have conducted offices at 634 Sutter street, San Francisco, for the treatment and cure of cancers and tumors, have opened an apartment at the corner of Castro and Fourteenth streets, this city. Oakland is growing so rapidly, and in fact, has already become such a large city that it is looked upon as a good field in which a reliable specialist in this line might locate.

Dr. Cook has been very successful in his work across the bay, and with the added advantages of Oakland's climate, is sure to become a popular practitioner in this city.

FATHER M'BUCH APPOINTED.

The Rev. Father M'BUCH was yesterday appointed by Archbishop Riordan as assistant rector of St. Anthony's parish. This is the same parish to which Rev. Father Peter C. Yorke was appointed rector last week.

Yesterday Father Yorke was a visitor at the parish and expressed himself as highly pleased with his new home. The late Father Gleason was the possessor of a very fine library and when Father Yorke's choice collection of books are added to it, St. Anthony's will have one of the finest libraries on the coast.

Father Yorke spent the day yesterday visiting the two parochial schools and dining with Father M'BUCH, after which he returned to San Francisco. He will take up his residence at St. Anthony's parish on Saturday.

Father M'BUCH, the assistant rector, attended the diocesan college, St. John of Tuam, County Galway, Ireland, from 1889 to 1893, and was appointed assistant rector in the parish of the Star of the Sea, in San Francisco. As he could not withstand the climate he asked to be transferred and was appointed to a similar position in St. Francis de Sales parish in this city. He was recently removed to St. An-

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White grounds, with handsome stripes in black, blue, red, green or tan. Two pair of cuffs with each shirt. Most shirt buyers are because of shortcoming in quality or style or both. These are under price because we determined to give as good a shirt for \$1 as other stores do for \$1.50. And we are famous for succeeding in what we undertake to do.

50c Suspenders for 25c

Fine quality of imported webbing—solid colors and new designs in dots, stripes and figures. Leather or heavy cord ends—some with drawn supporters. Needing suspenders you'll blunder if you neglect to take advantage of this chance for good goods as staple as what isn't an every day occurrence. See window display.

Half Dollar Ties

Here's a between-ourselves tip—they're top notchers. Among them are some particularly swell effects in blue, black and white—also some very select things in these gorgeous colors. Signs that you stylish, tappy, up-to-date fellows think so highly of this season. Most stores would rate them good values at 75c.

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NOVELTY THEATER.

During this week at the Novelty Theater, an excellent program is being rendered. Manager Lubelski will present the sketch artists, Harry and Frances Neal. The former gives acrobatic specialties and the latter is a soubrette. They have gained most favorable notices wherever they have appeared. Miss Jane Nickerson, the illustrated singer, is giving one of her famous songs, with an entire new set of moving pictures. The entertainment, as a whole, is clever. Manager Lubelski has just returned from a tour of the circuit, and reports business very good in all the interior cities he visited. Where he has playhouses.

One price to all, every thing marked in plain figures. A. E. Hall, 64 San Pablo avenue.

James E. Pepper, a celebrated whiskey, sold by E. F. Thayer, 907 Broadway.

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Table Butter..... 45c Regularly 5c
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Mackerel Salt..... 4 for 25c
Soap, Imported Castile..... 25c Regularly 30c
Sardines, French..... 3 for 25c Regularly 10c each.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Albert G. Gurnett, deceased, to the creditors of said deceased, to exhibit their claims against the said estate, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator with the will annexed at the office of Reed and Nussbaum, No. 922 Broadway street, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned holds as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Albert G. Gurnett, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED OF THE ESTATE OF ALBERT G. GURNETT, DECEASED.
Dated, Oakland, March 17, 1903.
REED & NUSSBAUM, Attorneys for estate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Jesse L. Poyser, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Jesse L. Poyser, deceased, that all persons having claims against the said deceased are required to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to Dr. A. H. Pratt, the administrator of the above estate, at his office, at 1104 Broadway, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, within four months after the first publication of this notice.
Dated March 16th, 1903.

DR. A. H. PRATT,
Administrator of said estate.
F. W. SAWYER, Attorney for said Administrator.

THREE fresh cows for sale. Call or address Hopkins street, Diamond, P. O. box No. 30.

TWO furnished house-keeping rooms. 720 7th st.

EAGLE BOWLING TEAM IN A CLUB ROLL.

Bowling Banquet Tonight—Herrera Wins From Clifford—Terry and the Gypsy—Sporting News.

The Eagle Bowling Club held a most successful meeting and club roll last evening on the Thirteenth street alley. There were all in good form, especially Johnson and Reeves, who made the following table shows:

Game	1	2	3	Total	Av.
H. P. Johnson	175	141	141	457	152
Wm. Reeves	123	128	121	372	124
L. Campbell	111	119	124	354	118
J. K. Reid	112	115	111	338	113
J. C. Reid	112	115	111	338	113

Eight members of Company B, National Guard, Bowling Club, bowled five games last evening on the alley. The high score was made by J. Johnson, who won the game.

The second annual banquet of the San Francisco Bowling Association will be held tomorrow evening in the city, at the Hotel. All members of the association are invited to attend. It is expected that the most of the members of the association, which numbers about 250, and a great many friends and enthusiasts will be in attendance.

WILL SCHEDULE FOR CRICKET GAMES.

COMMITTEE IS SELECTED TO MAKE MATCHES FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

At a recent meeting of the California Cricket Association, held in the Palace Hotel, H. C. Gandy of the Pacific Coast Club and H. W. Brown of the Alameda Cricket Club were appointed a committee to prepare a schedule of matches to be played during the coming season for the championship.

Provision will be made in the schedule for the new cricket club just organized, which has adopted the name of the San Francisco County Club. It is understood, however, that this name will be changed, as a member of the membership in this city and Alameda.

But, as the new club is a desirable organization, it is supposed that the members will be allowed to take any name that they might see fit.

JEFFRIES-CORBETT BIDS ALMOST READY.

PLENTY OF FIGURING IS GOING ON AMONG THE OFFICIALS FOR THE FIGHT.

In a day or two the local athletic organizations about San Francisco will have prepared their bids for the Jeffries-Corbett fight and handed them in to Harry Corbett. The officers of the organizations are working the bid carefully, and as to get the bid high enough to land the mill, but also so that they can make a little something out of it themselves. All are at present as to the amount of purse to offer, but it is generally conceded that the highest amount will not exceed \$20,000.

As the matter now stands, the club men do not know how the bid will be received by the public. They fear some hostility to the match, and if such should be the case they cannot figure out how it will be a paying venture.

BERKELEY RIFLE TEAM IN A SHOOT.

COLLEGE MEN HAVE A MATCH ON WITH THE NATIONAL GUARD.

The University of California rifle team has a shoot on with the National Guard Company of San Rosa. It has been decided that each team will shoot on its own ranges and the results compared to decide the winner. The match will take place next Saturday, and will be the second contest that the Berkeley men have had this season.

The university team this year is a very strong organization and is fully as strong as the teams which, for the past five years, have won the intercollegiate championship for the Blue and Gold.

At the last practice shoot, held at the Shell Mound ranges the university team of ten made a score of 467 out of a possible 500.

TERRY M'GOVERN HAS FORTUNE TOLD.

PAYS A BIG DOLLAR TO A GYPSY WOMAN TO LEARN HIS FATE.

"Terrible Terry" McGovern gave up a whole dollar this morning to a gypsy woman just to have his fortune told. There was an interested bunch around Terry's training quarters in Alameda while the gypsy held his hand and followed the markings. As might be expected, she predicted that Terry would be victorious over Corbett in their coming engagement, and then she asked Terry for another dollar for a charm to check the victory. But the "Terrible" was wise and did without the charm.

"All the charms I was in my two mitts to win out in that fight," said he. McGovern is now down to weight and getting down to the limit without a deal of hard work are now resting easy. Terry says that he will not fight like a wild man as in most of his previous battles.

JIMMY BRITT LEAVES FOR BUTTE.

SAYS THAT HE WILL MAKE THE MEXICAN LOOK LIKE A CHEAP TAMALES.

"James Edward Britt, San Francisco," will soon be seen on the page of a hotel register in Butte, Montana, for yesterday night-weight pugilist left for the mining town to fight Aurelio Herrera before the Butte Athletic Club. Britt is accompanied by his brother Willie, who will look after the financial end of the trip.

J. Britt, after his mill in Montana, will return to San Francisco in time to enter the ring with Will Fitzgerald.

"Our James" is confident of being the master of the Mexican, and says that he will make him look like a cheap tamale, and expects Herrera as a sort of an exercising pugilist.

There are a number of rich miners in Butte that like the Herrera end of the purse, however, and there is going to be a pile of gold dust exchanged on the fight.

ALAMEDA BOATING CLUB WOULD ENTER.

TO RACE IN THE UNIVERSITY REGATTA.

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